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Sketch of its Erection and Formation from the Territory of Virginia.

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During the progress of the bombard-ent of Fort Sumter, the excitement Richmond and in the convention as intense. Bonfires and illuminain Richmond and in the continuations blazed high in the streets and public squares; the national flag was torn from its place over the dome of the capitol and trampled under the feet of an infuriated mob. Stores and public places were closed and the populace sought the streets to give vent to their feelings. Strangers rushed to the city from all parts of the State and helped to swell the throngs. Many who had come in advance of the call before mentioned, to meet on the 16th of April, assembled together in a large hall and say with closed doors. No ingress could

afterwards, by a class of people whose style of life led them to abandon the older countries of the east, where their peouniary affairs had become involved with the more expensive habits of those localities. Possessing still some remnants of fortunes which enabled them to live in quite an independent manner in a country

uer with many hundreds of thousands oppression was full, and that, if, as was ing on Wheeling Island, under Col. B. of dollars. Indeed the delegate from a claimed by the east, secession was the F. Kelly, an ardent and active unionist western county, when he returned to only remedy offered by it for all the of the times, but it was so freshly orbits constituency and informed them of wrongs of the west, the day was near ganized as to be almost unavailable for the world rise.

yet none were fully ass rection matters would large building was filled to overfi with an eager throng, whose are countenances depicted the dep

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